

CGA Government Administration and Elections Committee

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Support for:

LCO No. 3576 AAC Absentee Voting at the 2020 State Election and Election Day

Every eligible voter should be able to vote safely in November without fear of catching the Coronavirus.

In Connecticut, voting by mail using an absentee ballot is overwhelmingly safe and secure. There are numerous checks and balances in our absentee ballot process.

Please pass LCO 3576, permitting **any** eligible voter to vote by absentee ballot in November because the "sickness of Covid-19" could easily continue to be a threat to their health.

No one should be forced to choose between protecting their health and exercising their right to vote.

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